

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

This Amendment, which is filed concurrently with an Information Disclosure Statement, is responsive to the non-final Office Action mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on February 25, 2008 in the above-identified application. Reconsideration and further examination are requested.

An extension of time to respond to the Office Action is respectfully requested. A Petition for Extension of Time and the appropriate fee are being filed concurrently with this Amendment.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge all fees due to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 16-2500.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begin on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 6.

Please amend the application as follows: